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Geography Division, ORR

## Project Initiation Memorandum

To: Chief, Geographic Research

Project No.: 61.1514

From: Chief, Geography Division

Date: 26 October 1959

1. Subject of Proposed Project: ~~x35-6000-Required~~ Comments on **Chicom Vulnerabilities Related to Tibet.**
2. Statement of Problem: ~~xOutline to be attached~~ (See attached request) **To prepare brief statements presenting ORR comments on:**
  - a. Vulnerabilities of Logistical Supply Lines to Tibet.
  - b. Drain on the Chicom Economy Resulting from Prolonged Resistance Activities in Tibet.
3. Requester: **ROM/Liaison Case K-6232 (Bill Mull, x2186).** 25X1A9a
4. Responsible Analyst and Branch: **Part a. to be done by [REDACTED]**  
**Part b. will be done by A/T.**
5. Kind and Extent of Cooperation Desired from:
  - a. Other Divisions of the G Area (include maps): **One small manuscript-marked map designating logistical supply routes.**
  - b. D/GI Domestic Procurement: **None**
  - c. Other parts of CIA: **Close coordination with HRA, including coordination with S/TR on Part a.**
  - d. Outside CIA: **None**
6. Estimated Man Hours in D/GG: **10**
7. Probable Completion Date: **6 November 1959**
8. Probable Form of Final Publication: **CIA/HR Q/I 59-**
9. Recommendations Regarding Distribution of Finished Report: **Requester only plus necessary record copies.** 25X1A9a
10. Comments: **This requirement has been coordinated with [REDACTED] Acting Ch/2, who has agreed to the division of labor set forth in para. 1 above.** 25X1A9a

Approved:

Chief, Geography Division

Chief [REDACTED] 25X1A9a 29 OCT 1959  
 Date

Assistant Director, ORR

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